

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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Application No.: 10/010,572	§	Examiner: Sharon, Ayal I.
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Title: Distributed Simulation	§	
System Having Phases of a	§	
Timestep	§	
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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.312**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

Please amend the case as listed below.